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Please find below a communication from the EXAMINER in charge of this application

The reply filed on January 09/2002 is not fully responsive to the prior Office Action because of the following omission(s) or matter(s):

Amended claims 21, 23 and 48 in the Amendment filed on 01/09/02 do match with the originally filed claims 21, 23 and 48. It is noted that the pending claims contain claim 1 and claim 1A. Under Rule 1.126, claim 1A should be renumbered as claim 2, and subsequent claims should be renumbered accordingly. Amended claims in the Amendment filed on 01/09/02 should be refiled with a consistent reference to the renumbered claims in order to avoid confusion.


Since the above-mentioned reply appears to be bona fide, applicant is given **ONE (1) MONTH or THIRTY (30) DAYS** from the mailing date of this notice, whichever is longer, within which to supply the omission or correction in order to avoid abandonment.

EXTENSIONS OF THIS TIME PERIOD MAY BE GRANTED UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Quang Nguyen, Ph.D., whose telephone number is (703) 308-8339.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Dave Nguyen, may be reached at (703) 305-2024, or SPE, Irem Yucel, at (703) 305-1998.

Any inquiry of a general nature or relating to the status of this application should be directed to Patent Analyst, Tracey Johnson, whose telephone number is (703) 305-2982.


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